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REMARKS

Claims 10 and 11 have been amended to exclude duplicate recitation. It is submitted that the claim amendment does not narrow the scope of the claims for reasons related to the statutory requirements for a patent.

Entry of the supplemental amendment is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

Claims 10 and 11 have been amended as follows:

10. (Amended) A portable telephone, comprising;

a signal transmission/reception portion for transmitting and receiving a signal,

a control portion for controlling at least a signal transmission and reception operation of said transmission/reception portion, and

[a memory system for a portable telephone including a signal transmission/reception portion for transmitting and receiving a signal and a control portion for controlling at least a signal transmission and reception operation of said transmission/reception portion,

wherein said memory system further includes] a random access memory providing a working area for said control portion, and a file storage flash memory for storing a program for said control portion and at least transmission and reception data in a non-volatile manner under a control of said control portion, [and]

wherein said control portion performs a process using the random access memory as an instruction memory to which the program is serially transferred from the file storage flash memory.

11. (Amended) A portable telephone, comprising;

a signal transmission/reception portion for transmitting and receiving a signal,

a control portion for controlling at least a signal transmission and reception

operation of said transmission/reception portion, and

[a memory system for a portable telephone including a signal transmission/reception portion for transmitting and receiving a signal and a control portion for controlling at least a signal transmission and reception operation of said transmission/reception portion,

wherein said memory system further includes] a random access memory providing a working area for said control portion, and a file storage flash memory for storing a program for said control portion and at least transmission and reception data in a non-volatile manner under a control of said control portion, [and]

wherein said control portion stores transmission and reception data into said random access memory as a buffer memory, and transfer the stored transmission and reception data from the random access memory to the file storage flash memory.